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**From:** Reyes, Deldi  
**Sent:** Thur 11/5/2015 6:10:31 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Exide related request from DTSC

Thanks Adrienne, much appreciated.

**From:** Priselac, Adrienne  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 05, 2015 9:50 AM  
**To:** Reyes, Deldi  
**Cc:** McDaniel, Doug; Miller, Amy; Huettelman, Tom; Taylor, Katherine  
**Subject:** RE: Exide related request from DTSC

Hi Deldi-

I am fine with being included on the coordination group as needed for lead-based paint consultation. I do not have a good contact at HUD, and in CA, most of the lead-based program work, particularly abatement, is done by the county Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Programs (CLPPPs) which are funded by the CA Department of Public Health. CA DPH receives grant funds from EPA and HUD to implement these programs and they then provide funding to the county programs. The county programs are usually run out of a county department of public health or a similar agency. These county agencies are better positioned to respond to lead-based paint issues or EBLs. See here:  
<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/clppb/pages/clpppsrvs.aspx>

Hope that helps. I am fine with the wording you included below in quotations.

Thanks,  
Adrienne

**From:** Reyes, Deldi  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 04, 2015 10:51 AM

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**Importance:** High

Adrienne, I just received a draft outreach and engagement plan drafted by the DTSC Exide team. It's attached here and this excerpt is the most relevant to your program. DTSC was asked by CalEPA to clarify that the federal government in this reference means EPA. Although I would think HUD may have some resources as well, right?

At any rate, with your approval, I'd like to write back with the statement in quotes below. To do that, I need to know if we can bring you or someone on your team as needed to consult with this coordination group. The issue on the ground is that DTSC has a huge challenge in front of them with regard to the number of homes that need to be tested and then cleaned up and for some of these homes that have lead paint exteriors that are not being maintained, the risk of recontamination of the soil is real. And, DTSC is also having some challenges with regard to getting access agreements from some property managers and this is holding up their ability to complete all the sampling of the properties in phase 1. I thought that between you and / or perhaps Max, the Region could provide some useful advice to DTSC.

Here's what I'd suggest we send back, please feel free to revise and/or add to. Is there someone at HUD at the regional level we could refer them to?

"Ana, thank you for reaching out to EPA on the draft outreach plan. We agree that including a focus on lead based paint is important and are fine with being named as a member of the coordination group described below. You may already be working with HUD but if not, we recommend connecting with ??? \_\_\_\_." "

**Goal 3: Protect public health by ensuring that appropriate resources and information are made available to communities.**

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**Key Actions**

1. Establish a coordination group with federal, state, and local governments, as well as community partners to develop strategies to address lead-based paint that continues to pose a health threat and could re-contaminate properties where lead in soil has been cleaned up. (November 2015 - ongoing)

p.s. if you open up the attachment you'll see comments flagged as coming from the "EPA Administrator". Those comments came from CalEPA. I made one edit, to the third bullet in the first section. There is a fair amount of competition going on between the LA health department and DTSC, so I think it's important to stress that coordination is necessary.